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April 01, 2022

Nathan Ochsner, Clerk

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION**

MELISSA ELIZABETH LUCIO,

Plaintiff,

VS.

BRYAN COLLIER, et al.,

Defendants.

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CIVIL ACTION NO. 4:22-CV-996

ORDER

Melissa Elizabeth Lucio, an inmate on Texas death row, is set for execution on April 27, 2022. Lucio has filed a complaint under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 raising claims under the First Amendment and the Religious Land Use and Institutionalized Persons Act (RLUIPA). (Docket Entry No. 1). In order for this lawsuit to proceed, the Court **ORDERS** as follows:

- Lucio will file a fully supported motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* or will pay the applicable filing fee on or before **April 8, 2022**.
- Lucio will file any motion for appropriate preliminary relief on or before **April 8, 2022**.
- The Defendants may file a response to any motion for preliminary relief on or before **April 13, 2022**.
- Lucio will file any reply on or before **April 15, 2022**.

The Clerk will provide copies of this Order to the parties.

SIGNED on April 1, 2022 at Houston, Texas.



ALFRED M. BENNETT
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE